"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-

Docket No.

246510US0DIV

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Shinichi KAWAMURA, et al.

AL NO: 10/735,929

December 16, 2003

ELECTROPHOTOGRAPHIC PHOTOCONDUCTOR, IMAGE FORMING METHOD AND APPARATUS, AND PROCESS CARTRIDGE USING THE PHOTOCONDUCTOR, AND LONG-CHAIN ALKYL GROUP CONTAINING BISPHENOL COMPOUND AND POLYMER MADE THEREFROM

EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING

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COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 3, 2005, Applicants request reconsideration of the outstanding rejections in view of the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 12 of this response.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this response.